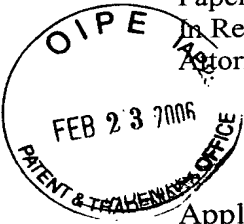


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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 6, 2006, Applicant submits the accompanying one-month Petition for Extension of Time and the following remarks.

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